

UNITED STATES ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY

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RE: Freedom of Information Act (FOIA) Request No. EPA-R1-2018-010408

Dear Ms. Robitaille:

This is in response to your FOIA request of August 9, 2018, for information pertaining to an Existing Vacant Property located at Route 1 & Foxhill Drive in Walpole, MA.

I wish to advise you that the Agency has no records responsive to your request. EPA does not maintain information on underground storage tanks (USTs) that store petroleum or other federally regulated substances. In 1984 when Subtitle I was added to the Resource Conservation and Recovery Act, it required owners and operators to notify of UST location, size, age, etc., and specified that information be sent to the designated regulatory state agencies. For information pertaining to UST registration and/or reported releases, please contact the Massachusetts Department of Environmental Protection (MADEP), One Winter Street, Boston, MA 02108, (617) 292-5763 (registration) - Bureau of Waste Prevention, UST Program (617)556-1184 (releases) - Emergency Response Section, http://www.mass.gov/dep/toxics/ust/.

This letter concludes our response to your request. You may appeal this response by email at hq.foia@epa.gov, or by mail to the EPA's National FOIA Office, U.S. EPA, 1200 Pennsylvania Avenue, N.W. (2310A), Washington, DC 20460 or through FOIAonline if you are an account holder. If you are submitting your appeal by hand delivery, courier service, or overnight delivery, you must address your correspondence to 1200 Pennsylvania Avenue, N.W., Room 5315, Washington, DC 20460. Your appeal must be in writing, and it must be received no later than 90 calendar days from the date of this letter. The Agency will not consider appeals received after the 90-calendar-day limit. Appeals received after 5:00 p.m. EST will be considered received the next business day. The appeal letter should include the FOIA tracking number listed above. For quickest possible handling, the subject line of your email, the appeal letter, and its envelope, if applicable, should be marked "Freedom of Information Act Appeal." Additionally, you may seek dispute resolution services from EPA's FOIA Public Liaison at hq.foia@epa.gov or (202) 566-1667, or from the Office of Government Information Services (OGIS). You may contact OGIS in any of the following ways: by mail, Office of Government Information Services, National Archives and Records Administration, Room 2510, 8610 Adelphi Road, College Park, MD 20740-6001; email, ogis@nara.gov; telephone, (202) 741-5770 or (877) 684-6448; or fax, (202) 741-5769.

Due to the limited nature of your request there will be no charge for the processing of it.

Sincerely,

Arthur V. Johnson, III, Acting Assistant Regional Administrator

Office of Administration & Resources Management

cc: Cris Schena, R1 FOI Officer